

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Wayne E. CORNISH et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 3736
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Application No.: 09/746,144	)	Examiner: Jonathan M. Foreman
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Filed: December 21, 2000	)	
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For: SUPERELASTIC GUIDEWIRE	)	Confirmation No.: 2421
WITH LOCALLY ALTERED	)	
PROPERTIES	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants petition for a three month extension of time to file a reply to the Office  
Action of November 1, 2006. A fee of \$1020.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached  
reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW,  
GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

*/Louis Troilo/*

Dated: May 1, 2007

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